the error. Adjustment charge bills issued during the period beginning with the 10th day of the prior month and ending with the 9th day of the current month shall be payable by the handler to the market administrator on or before the 18th day of the current month. Adjustment credits issued during that period shall be payable by the compact commission to the handler on or before the 20th day of the current month.

(b) Whenever the compact commission's verification of a handler's payments discloses payment to a producer or a cooperative association of an amount less than is required by §1307.4, the handler shall make payment of the balance due the producer not later than the 20th day after the end of the month in which the handler is notified of the deficiency.

§1307.8 Charges on overdue accounts.

Any producer-settlement fund account balance due from or to a handler under §1307.3, §1307.7 or §1307.8 for which remittance has not been received in or paid from the compact commission office by close of business on the 18th day of any month, shall be increased one percent effective the following day.

PART 1308—ADMINISTRATIVE ASSESSMENT

AUTHORITY: 7 U.S.C. 7256.

SOURCE: 62 FR 29646, May 30, 1997, unless otherwise noted.

§1308.1 Assessment for pricing regulations administration.

On or before the 18th day after the end of the month, each handler shall pay to the compact commission his prorata share of the expense of administration of this pricing regulation. The payment shall be at the rate of 3.2 cents per hundredweight. The payment shall apply to:

- (a) The quantity of fluid milk products disposed in the regulated area from a pool plant for which a value is determined under § 1306.1;
- (b) The quantity of fluid milk products disposed in the regulated area from a cooperative association in its capacity as a handler under Section

1301.9(d) for which a value is determined under Section 1306.1; and

(c) The quantity distributed as route disposition in the regulated area from a partially regulated plant for which a value is determined under §1306.2.

PART 1361—RULEMAKING PROCEDURES

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§1361.1 Applicability.

This section applies to:

- (a) The establishment of a compact over-order price regulation, as defined in subsection 2(8) of the Compact, including any provision with respect to milk supply under subsection 9(f) of the Compact;
- (b) Any amendment of such overorder price regulation or provision with respect to milk supply; and
- (c) Any process initiated by the Compact Commission in which the subjects and issues involved relate to such price regulation or provision with respect to milk supply or, proposed amendment thereto.

§1361.2 Commencement of proceedings.

- (a) Upon the Commission's initiative. The Compact Commission may commence a rulemaking proceeding on its own initiative, including upon the recommendation of the Committee on Regulations and Rulemaking.
- (b) Upon the request of a state delegation. A state delegation may request